

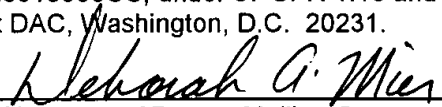
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PATENT

Inventor:	Blandina et al.	Docket No.:	10655.7117
Serial No.:	09/241,188	Filing Date:	February 1, 1999
Group Art No.:	2761	Examiner:	To Be Assigned
Title:	STORED VALUE TRANSACTION SYSTEM HAVING AN INTEGRATED DATABASE SERVER		

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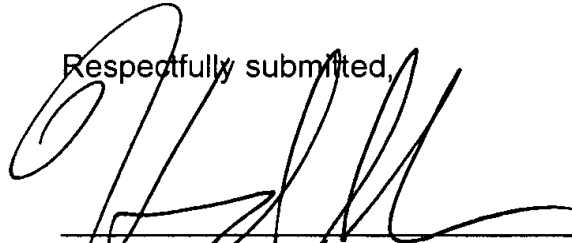
Dear Commissioner:

Petitioner submits this Request for Reconsideration in response to the Petitions Examiner's "Decision Refusing Status Under 37 CFR 1.47(a)" mailed November 22, 2000.

The Petitions Examiner asserts that "a proper oath or declaration executed by the available joint inventor(s)" for the patent application in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 and 1.64 still has not been presented. As discussed with Petitions Attorney E. Shirene Willis, a newly executed declaration by Mr. Blandina is attached to this Request as Exhibit 1. Petitioner entered Mr. Berry and Ms. Belczynski's last known residence, citizenship and post office address into the declaration before obtaining Mr. Blandina's signature.

Applicant does not believe any additional fee is due; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 or any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 12.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **19-2814**. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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